

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Richmond County, Georgia****Trend of Fatalities, 1999-2003**

		1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	27	28	42	28	31
	Alcohol-Related	13	8	15	15	12
	Single Vehicle	17	13	20	14	14
	Non-Junction	20	17	26	21	19
	Intersection	6	10	11	6	8
	Intersection-Related	1	0	1	0	3
	Speeding Involved	5	7	5	4	1
	Pedestrians	5	1	5	5	4
	Pedalcyclists	0	1	1	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	1	0	4	7	4
	Roadway Departure	17	13	16	14	18
	Passenger Car Occupants	15	16	20	10	16
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	3	10	13	8	7
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	0	0	2	0
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	20	26	33	20	23
	Motorcycle Riders	2	0	3	3	4

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2003**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2003	21	6	9	6

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2003**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2003	4	4	0	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2003

	2003			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	31	9	15.73	122
Alcohol-Related	12	7	6.09	68
Single Vehicle	14	9	7.11	116
Non-Junction	19	11	9.64	134
Intersection	8	5	4.06	62
Intersection-Related	3	4	1.52	11
Speeding Involved	1	95	0.51	106
Pedestrians	4	8	2.03	45
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0
Large Truck Involved	4	18	2.03	76
Roadway Departure	18	9	9.14	117
Passenger Car Occupants	16	7	8.12	98
Light Truck/Van Occupants	7	25	3.55	110
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	0	0
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	23	10	11.67	129
Motorcycle Riders	4	8	2.03	29

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.